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SUBJ: CONVENTION ON PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES

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SUMMARY: FRG ANTICIPATES FINAL LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL  
OF SUBJECT CONVENTION JULY 16, 1976, AND HOPES TO  
DEPOSIT RATIFICATION INSTRUMENT AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER  
1976 NOTING TWO EXCEPTIONS. END SUMMARY.

1. SUBJECT CONVENTION HAS RECENTLY BEEN BEFORE  
APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES IN BUNDES RAT AND BUNDESTAG  
WHERE IT WAS ACTED UPON FAVORABLY, AND HAS RECEIVED  
THE APPROVAL OF THE BUNDESTAG. ON JULY 16, 1976,  
THE CONVENTION WILL GO BEFORE A PLENARY SESSION OF THE  
BUNDES RAT WHERE IT IS EXPECTED TO BE APPROVED SUBJECT  
TO TWO RESERVATIONS NOTED BELOW. THE ANTICIPATED  
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APPROVAL BY THE BUNDES RAT ON JULY 16 IS THE LAST STEP

REQUIRED PRIOR TO DEPOSITING THE INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION WITH THE UN, AN OCCURRENCE WHICH RESPONSIBLE FRG OFFICIALS HOPE WILL TAKE PLACE IN AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER 1976.

2. RESERVATIONS.

IN DEPOSITING THE INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION WITH THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UN, FRG INTENDS TO STATE, IN CONFORMITY WITH ART. 32, PARA. 3, THEIR DESIRE TO OBTAIN AUTHORITY FOR THE FOLLOWING RESERVATIONS:

(1) RE ARTICLE 11 PAR. 2 (ONLY INASMUCH AS ANNEX III IS CONCERNED)

IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY POSITIONS IN THE INVOICES OF PRODUCERS, WHOLESALE- DEALERS, IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS WILL BE SPECIALLY MARKED INSTEAD OF DRAWING UP THE LISTS MENTIONED CONCERNING THE SUBSTANCES AND PREPARATIONS THEREFROM INASMUCH AS THEY CONCERN ANNEX III. INVOICES AND DELIVERY DOCUMENTS WILL BE FILED AND RETAINED FOR AT LEAST FIVE (5) YEARS.

(2) RE ARTICLE 11 PAR. 4

IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY THOSE PERSONS AND INSTITUTIONS MENTIONED IN THIS PROVISION WILL RETAIN THE INVOICES WHICH THEY RECEIVED FROM PERSONS LISTED IN ARTICLE 11 PAR. 4 AND WHICH CONTAIN POSITIONS WITH SUBSTANCES AND PREPARATIONS THEREFROM PURSUANT TO ANNEX III FOR AT LEAST FIVE (5) YEARS SEPARATELY AND WILL AT LEAST ONCE EVERY YEAR DETERMINE THEIR STOCKS IN SUBSTANCES AND PREPARATIONS THEREFROM PURSUANT TO ANNEX III.

JUSTIFICATION OF RESERVATIONS

RE (1)  
IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY SOME 50 PREPA-

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RATIONS FROM SUBSTANCES PURSUANT TO ANNEX III ARE PREPARED AND DISTRIBUTED. CONSIDERING THE DIFFERENT PACKAGE SIZES AND FORMS OF APPLICATION, THERE ARE SOME 150 DIFFERENT READY-TO-DISTRIBUTE SPECIES OF PACKAGES. DUE TO THE GREAT VARIETY OF PACKAGES AND THE MANY PHARMACIES (SOME 14,000) AND FULLY STOCKED PHARMACEUTICAL WHOLESALE FIRMS (SOME 160), THE COMPILATION OF DETAILED LISTINGS, AS PRESCRIBED BY THE AGREEMENT, BY PRODUCERS (WHO, FOR EXAMPLE, HAND DRUGS ALSO DIRECTLY TO THE PHARMACEUTICAL DIVISION OF HOSPITALS), WHOLESALE DEALERS, IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS WOULD AMOUNT TO AN UNAPPROPRIATE AND INTOLERABLE CHANGE IN PROCEDURE, BURDEN, AND COMPLICATION IN THE PRODUCTION AND WORK PROCESSES WHICH COULD ONLY BE OVERCOME BY UNJUSTIFIABLE PERSONNEL AND FINANCIAL COSTS.

RE (2)

THE TEXT OF THE PROVISION OF THE AGREEMENT STIPU-  
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LATES A CONTINUING AVAILABILITY OF THE REQUIRED DATA. BUT CURRENT RECORDS ON ACQUISITION AND SALE OF PREPARATIONS FROM SUBSTANCES LISTED IN ANNEX III CANNOT REASONABLY BE EXPECTED OF PHARMACIES, HOSPITALS AND SCIENTIFIC INSTITUTIONS DUE TO THE GREAT VARIETY OF PACKAGES AND THE GREAT NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS OF THE PHARMACIES, JUST AS DETAILED LISTS AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE 11, PAR. 2 CANNOT REASONABLY BE EXPECTED OF THE AFOREMENTIONED FIRMS.

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